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The undersigned assignee of the entire interest in application for letters patent entitled *METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR APPLYING A THREADED CAP TO A THREADED NECK OF A CONTAINER* and having the named inventor Gerry MAVIN, and bearing U.S. Patent Application No. 10/726,220 filed on December 1, 2003 hereby appoints as my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith, the Dorsey & Whitney LLP attorneys and agents associated with Customer Number 32940.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 3.73 the assignee hereby certifies that the evidentiary documents with respect to its ownership have been reviewed and that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee seeking to take this action.

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